GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Planning Department –Village and Ward Secretariats - Constitution of Working Group for obtaining Real-Time feedback from stakeholders – Improvements in Planning and Execution of Projects/Activities by the Village and Ward Secretariats in the State – Orders – Issued.

PLANNING (XIII) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 102 **Dated: 02-08-2021.**

Read the following:-

1) G.O.Rt.No. 1383, G.A. (POLL.A) Department, Dated: 22.06.2019.
2) G.O.Rt.No. 376, Planning (XIII) Department, Dated: 28.11.2019.
3) G.O.Rt.No.2, GVWV&VSWS Department, Dated: 14.08.2020.
4) G.O.Rt.No.1202, G.A. (POLL.A) Department, Dated: 19.07.2021.
5) G.O.Rt.No.1268, G.A. (SC.A) Department, Dated: 02.08.2021.

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ORDER:

The "Navaratnalu" programme is being implemented in the state through Village Secretariats and Ward Secretariats. The fruits of this decentralized and focused approach towards administration and public service delivery are conspicuously visible today at the grass root level and the proof of concept is seen in the overwhelming acceptance of the Village/Wards Secretariats by the public as the single point of Government Service delivery.

2. Government, through the reference 2nd read above has constituted a State level and District level committees with Hon'ble Chief Minister as the Chairman at State level and the District-in charge Ministers at District level to ensure effective implementation of the programme. And also the Government in the references 1st & 4th read above, respectively appointed a) Adviser & Vice Chairman and b) Executive Vice-Chairman for implementation and monitoring committee of the NAVARATNALU, with a direction to review all the connected departments implementing the programme.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, orders for issued constituting a state level committee headed by the Chief Secretary to Government for suggesting delegation of power to Village and Ward Secretariat functionaries and for effective and impactful service delivery at the doorstep of the citizens. Keeping in view of the complexity involved in the implementation of the Village Secretariat

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program, government decided to set up a think tank that understands the nuances of each scheme, its objective, eligibility criteria, method of identification of eligible beneficiaries, system validation of the eligibility, the payment process and the feedback from the field.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby constitute a Working Group at state level headed by Special Chief Secretary, Planning with the following members:-

i. Special Chief Secretary, GSWS & VVWV Department.
ii. Concerned Prl, Secretary/Secretary of Nodal Departments for schemes relating to Navaratnalu.
iii. Director, GSWS & VVWV Department ---- Convenor.

5. The Working Group shall focus on getting feedback from the stakeholders and thereby appropriately incorporate these inputs in the planning and execution of efficient functioning of the Village and Ward Secretariats.

6. The Working Group shall also act as a Think-tank and shall submit its recommendation to the Government. The Working Group may also suggest any midcourse corrections/ reorientation/ restructuring of the present set up in order to make more effective and efficient functioning of the Village and Ward Secretariats.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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